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For: VEHICLE WHEEL BALANCER SYSTEM	

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Transmitted herewith is:

- ☒ Applicant's Comments On Reasons For Allowance.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

Small Entity Status:

- ☒ Applicant DOES NOT claim small entity status.

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**APPLICANT'S COMMENTS ON REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

Sir:

These comments are responsive to the Notice of Allowance mailed on May 3, 2005, which sets forth the Examiner's statements of reasons for allowance.

The Examiner is thanked for the kind allowance of all pending claims (i.e., Claims 28-40). Applicant acknowledges the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance as set forth in the Notice of Allowance, and further agrees that the cited references do not read on the allowed claims. In addition, Applicant respectfully points out that the reasons for allowability of the above referenced claims are not limited to the reasons for allowance as set forth in the Notice of Allowance, and that additional

reasons for allowability may exist, each of which may be independently sufficient to establish patentability of one or more pending claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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